

Abbotsford, Sumas and Matsqui News

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SUMAS RATEPAYERS SANCTION CONSOLIDATION AT MEETING

A general meeting of Sumas ratepayers was held in the municipal hall on Monday evening, thoroughly discussing the problem which has arisen in Sumas of providing more accommodation for the growing high school attendance.

Trustee Boley explained the situation confronting Sumas ratepayers, touching upon the two or three alternatives to consolidation with Abbotsford. E. B. McPhail, secretary of the Board also gave various details on high school needs. T. B. Straiton occupied the chair.

It was generally felt that more adequate facilities must be arranged, with the rapidly increasing enrollment in both grade and high school, and that some sort of consolidation with Abbotsford was the only logical recourse. A resolution was accordingly passed as follows: "That this meeting go on record as favoring the consolidation of Sumas Municipal School District with Abbotsford Rural School District."

Joint meetings of the two Boards will

MATSQUI

A quiet wedding was solemnized in St. John's United church, Vancouver, on Saturday, May 11, when Rev. J. Pitkley united in marriage Miss Jessie Paterson, daughter of Mrs. D. Paterson, Gifford, and the late D. Paterson, and Mr. Clifton Stover, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Stover, Dunbar Heights, Vancouver. Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Stover will reside at Carolina Court, Thurlow st., Vancouver.

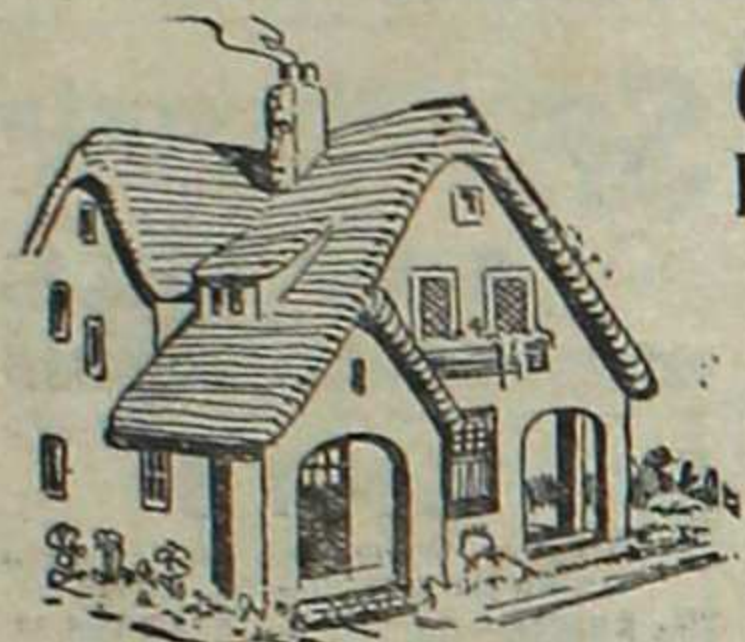
Dr. Wood lectured at the regular meeting of Poplar Farmers' Institute in the Community Hall last Saturday. A number of Abbotsford and Matsqui young folks plan to attend the dance to be given by Gifford Athletic Club on Friday in the agricultural hall.

Matsqui council has promised a grant to Mt. Lehman W.I. to go towards the prize list of a summer flower show the ladies are preparing.

be held to discuss preliminary plans, which will be submitted to ratepayers of both areas.

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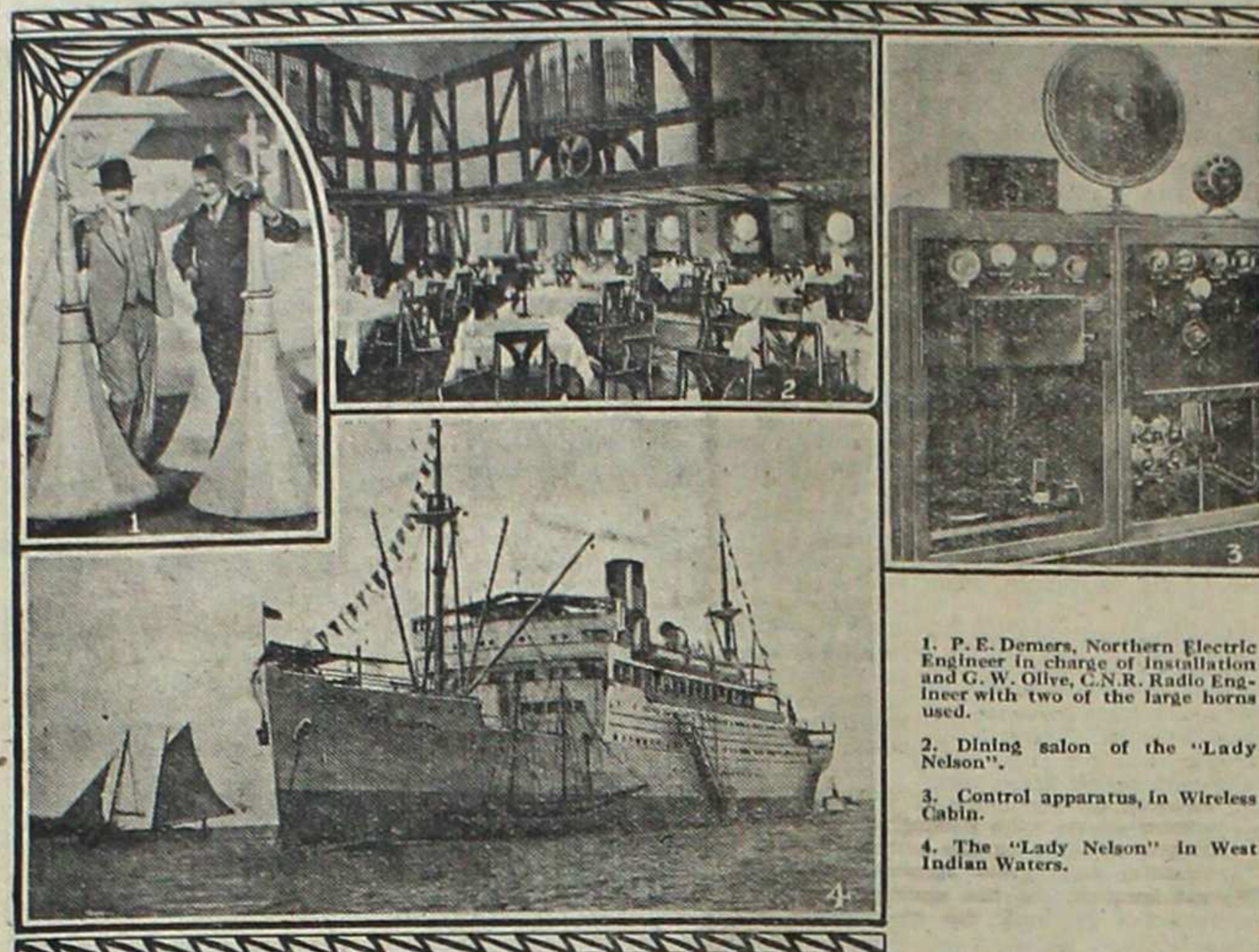
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1. P. E. Demers, Northern Electric Engineer in charge of installation and G. W. Olive, C.N.R. Radio Engineer with two of the large horns used.

2. Dining saloon of the "Lady Nelson".

3. Control apparatus, in Wireless Cabin.

4. The "Lady Nelson" in West Indian Waters.

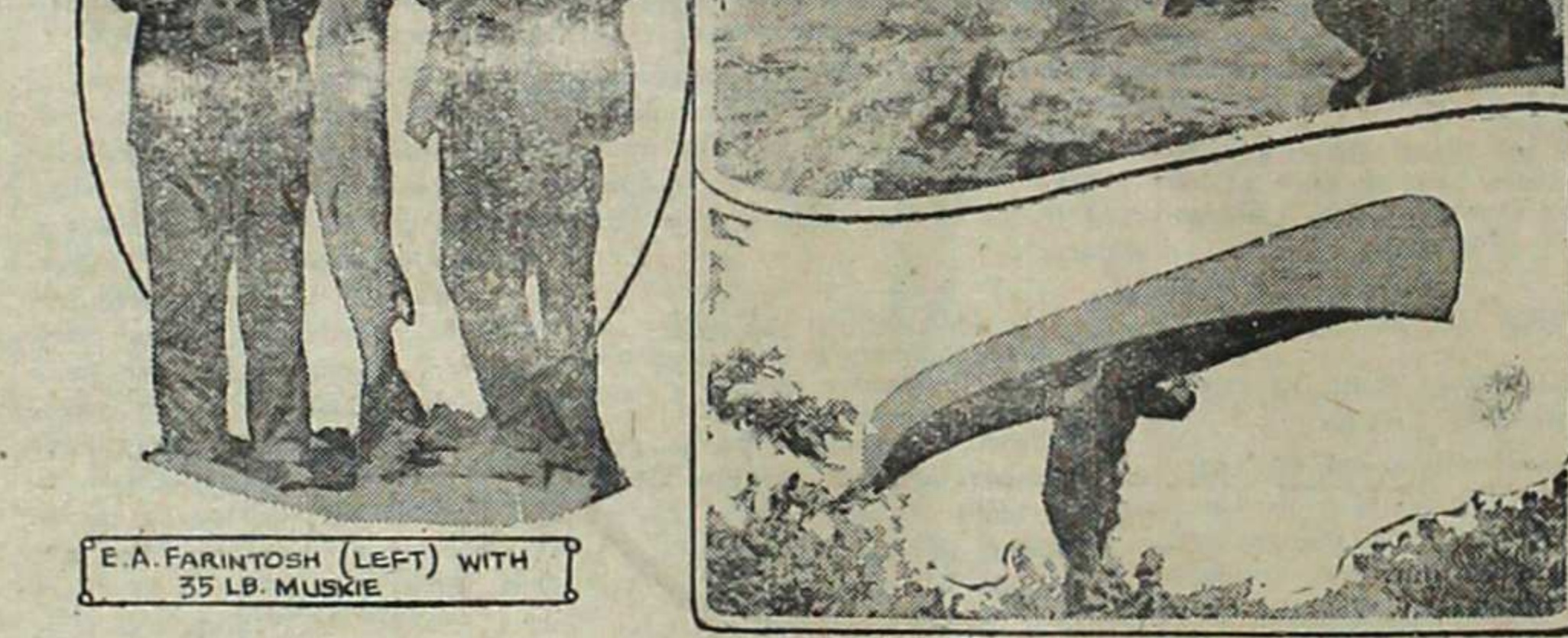
Passengers on board the Lady Nelson and the other units of that fine fleet of new steamers just put into the West Indies service by the Canadian National Railways, as they steam down the highways of the Atlantic Ocean and linger on the shimmering moonlit waters among the Treasure Islands to the South, will now be regaled by entertainment brought to them by Radio from distant or nearby stations. Failing this they need not be without music at their meals or for dancing, since these new floating palaces have been equipped with the latest developments of Radio Science, the Public Address and Music Reproducer System.

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A specially designed loud speaker is placed in the Lounge Salon, and high quality cone speakers are located in the dining and smoking salons. Two large horns such as shown in the accompanying picture are "built in" on the After Boat Deck where dancing may be indulged in.

The Wireless officer who is not on watch, has charge of the apparatus and operates it for the benefit of the passengers at scheduled times throughout the day and late into the night. The volume is controllable from a mere whisper to the fanfare of a whole orchestra.



E. A. FARINTOSH (LEFT) WITH 35 LB. MUSKIE

"Muskie" are so plentiful at French River, Ontario, according to J. G. Strathdee, who runs the French River Bungalow Camp at this Ontario resort, that he and his mother, while paddling down the River, past the golf course, struck a muscalunge at least four feet long which was sunning itself near the surface of the water. The muskie, which was as surprised as the canoeists, leaped several feet out of the water, then vanished from view.

French River station is on the Canadian Pacific Railway, 215 miles north of Toronto, 60 miles north of Parry Sound, and 45 miles south of Sudbury. The Bungalow Camp is attractively situated on an elevation commanding a magnificent view of the main channel of the French River and within 200 yards of the station. In addition to the Bungalow Camp, an outlying sub-camp is situated at Pine Rapids, at the head of Eighteen Mile Island, in the heart of the best fishing waters of the upper French River.

It has as an adjunct Pine Rapids Camp, which is 25 miles up the river. These two camps accommodate ninety people, and there are plenty of fish—muscalunge, Great Northern pike, pickerel, and small and large mouth black bass. There are thirty well built and comfortable bungalows at the main camp, while Pine Rapids has canvas houses built on wooden floors. French River is 215 miles North of Toronto.

H. D. Chadsey was given medical attention this week, when the tip of one of his fingers was severed by the edge at Corbett's mill, Straiton.

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All notices of events given for a profit are regarded as advertising.

"BLUE BIRD" LOGGED LANDS BEING CLEARED BY COLONY OF PRE-EMPLOYERS

In contrast to the foreign settlements on Sumas prairie lands is a group of 16 to 20 families bravely starting to carve farmsteads from the stump wastes adjoining the Yale road three or four miles west of Abbotsford. Some six months ago, a full section of this logged-over area was auctioned to buyers by the government. While the land was sold at a comparatively low upset-price, certain pre-emption duties were stipulated by the government, and the property has fallen into the hands of an industrious, progressive, desirable class of settler, numbers of whom are already on the property, or making preparations to start clearing.

The 640-acre tract is divided into 30 and 40-acre blocks, several of which were purchased by local residents, included among whom are Archie Pearson, A. Tracey, Gordon and Victor Ferguson, Fred Marshall and George Taylor, the last named planning to erect an auto filling station on his place, which is located at the corner of Yale and Mt. Lehman roads. Among the newcomers are Mr. and Mrs. Wilson of Coquitlam, who are already erecting poultry houses for several hundred birds. Mr. Roy Plant, who recently arrived from Saskatchewan, and J. McArthur, who at the age of over 70 summers, is clearing what he claims to be his third homestead. These people now constitute the nucleus of what promises to become a live poultry-raising and small-fruit district, tributary to Abbotsford.

Purchase of 500 feet of two-inch fire hose from the Gutta Percha Rubber Co. at the price of 67½¢ a foot was decided at last Friday's meeting of Abbotsford commissioners. A hose reel costing \$125 was also deemed necessary, and has since been delivered. Widening of Oscar and Montrose streets is now underway by the Council.

Two outstanding cows from local herds will be auctioned at the picnic of the F.V.M.P.A. in New Westminster on June 14. They are both owned by Harry Day of Delair. No. 1 is "Meg," a grade Ayrshire, 7 years old with an average production for the last three years of 580-lbs butterfat and in 1927 of 623-lbs. butterfat. No. 2 is "Spot," 5-year-old grade Ayrshire, and as a two year old gave 446-lbs. butterfat, then 509-lbs. butterfat, and last year 494-lbs. butterfat, averaging 480-lbs. butterfat over the three years.

A most delightful "mother and daughter" banquet was held on Friday evening in Trinity church Sunday School room, when the "Golden Keys" group C.G.I.T. girls entertained their mothers and friends, under the direction of their leader, Mrs. W. Duark. The tables were prettily decorated in group colors of green and gold, and covers were laid for fifty guests.

A splendid program, including several toasts, music and songs, recitations and a playlet, was arranged, and carried out by the girls, to the credit of their leader. During the evening the girls presented Mrs. Duark with a beautiful basket of flowers. Each mother present was also presented with a bouquet by the Group.

At the regular meeting of Poplar Manor Women's Institute, held on May 9, Mrs. T. D. Smith was appointed representative of the Institute to the W. A. of the M.S.A. Hospital.

A flower show, concert, lecture on educational topics, and installation of a radio were among the matters considered in relation to future programs. Twelve members and two visitors attended the meeting, which closed with refreshments and a social interval.

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Sumas-Matsqui Cow Testing Associat'n

April list of cows that gave 50-lbs or more butter-fat.
Sally (55) G.H., 2070m; 76.61; L. T. Be-harrell.
Owl Mawes Maid (40) P.B.J., 1122 m; 70.7 f; Harry Day.
Rooker Wayne Korndyke (106) P.B.H., 2070 m; 70.4 f; Frank Machell.
Maggie (10) G.A., 1440 m, 69.1 f, T. F. Seldon.

Belmont Pauline Banostine (110), P.B.H. 1785 m, 65.9 f, Claude Farr.
Blackeyes (32) G.H., 2169 m, 65.1 f; L. T. Beharrell.
Mary Dekol McKinlay (13) P.B.H., 2169 m, 65.1 f; J. W. Carlson.
Donaley (50) G.H., 1842 m, 64.5 f, T. S. Higgs.
Windermere (17) G.A., 1425 m, 64.1 f; H. Hartshorn.

Scotty (22) G.H., 1832 m, 62.2 f, P. Smith.
Spot (143) G.A., 1200m, 61.2 f, H. Day.
Bob (62) G.H., 1965 m, 60.9 f, T. Higgs.
Browneyes (27) G.G., 1746 m, 59.4 f; L. T. Beharrell.
Baines (37) G.H., 1980 m, 59.4 f B. Stewart.

Ada (60) G.H., 1935 m, 53.2 f, T. Higgs.
Agnes (19) G.H., 1566 m, 53.1 f, P. Smith.
Pansy (8) G.H., 1470 m, 52.9 f, Austin B. Mandy (115) G.H., 1500 m, 52.5 f, T. F. Seldon.

Jersey (90) G.J., 840 m, 52.1 f, J. Savage.
Savage (66) G.H., 1680 m, 52.1 f, R. Ma-schell.
Meg (115) G.A., 1356 m, 52.1 f, H. Day.
Queenie 2nd (156) G.H., 1449 m, 50.7 f, T. F. Seldon.

Darke (100) G.J., 1419 m, 50.7 f, S. L. Sharpe.
Beauty (46) G.H., 1629 m, 50.5 f, P. Smith.
Sunflower (19) G.J., 1170 m, 50.3 f, J. Savage.
Betty No. 7 (165) G.H., 1518 m, 50.1 f, Page & Son.

Guernsey (170) G.G., 990 m, 50 f, T. Higgs.
Whitie (79) G.H., 1500 m, 50 f, T. Higgs.
Bridget (75) G.H., 1338m, 50f, B Stewart

A large barn, owned by Gross Gorman, South Sumas road, was totally destroyed by fire on Tuesday night of last week, when struck by lightning during the storm. Loss of \$2,000 was sustained, partially covered by insurance.

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Think Of the Future

A condition of prosperity prevails throughout Canada from coast to coast. It is not confined to any one section nor to any one industry or group of industries. There is, in fact, a general prosperity to the extent that a situation probably without a parallel in the past history of the Dominion. This is not to say that everybody or every industry is equally prosperous. There are, indeed, those who do not share in the general prosperity. The contrary is true. But taking Canada as a whole, and in the major activities of its people, prosperity reigns today.

Such a condition is, of course, gratifying. Nobody would have it otherwise, and all desire that it shall be long continued. But there are dangers to be avoided in times of more or less universal prosperity which do not present themselves when times are hard and business depression rather than business activity is in evidence. It is an old and often proved statement that many people who can and have stood strong and true through the strain and stress of adversity, and won through to ultimate victory, have cracked and broken when favored with prosperity and success.

Canada is prosperous today, and it should take full advantage of its present favorable position. The people are optimistic and should continue so. They should continue to show vision, courage, and engage in constructive development. They would be unworthy of their heritage and the future possibilities of their Dominion if they acted otherwise. But they should nevertheless have a care in the enthusiasm of the glowing present not to forget the years to come.

Just as night follows day, winter follows summer, youth grows into old age, and death is the ultimate ending of birth, so it is inevitable that, in course of time, depression in business will follow buoyancy. A pendulum swings just as far one way as it does the other. It is a wise man and a wise community, therefore, which when times are good and development is the order of the day, takes thought of, and prepares for that future day when retrenchment may become a necessity.

If growth and expansion is artificially pushed too far, if an individual or a community becomes committed to large future obligations in order to further speed up present development, they may find themselves in great future difficulty.

All countries, all communities, most individuals, have passed through such bitter experiences. Western Canada has not been immune from them, and those who recall the "boom" days of the past know that the period of adjustment following the collapse of a "boom" was much longer than the "boom" itself, and that in the final analysis the losses far outweighed the gains.

At the present time all our Western cities, towns, villages and rural municipalities are planning their programmes for 1929. Times are prosperous, the country is growing, and the almost universal demand is for increased expenditures to provide this and that. Today it is possible and comparatively easy to borrow the money to carry such enterprises through and to meet the initial interest charges. But a debt is created which will remain for years to come. When the present buoyancy subsides, when money is less easy to obtain, when depression and some degree of unemployment replaces present favorable conditions in business, will the load be too heavy to carry?

It will be useless care is exercised by all civic and municipal authorities in seeing that the safety line in expansion is not passed, and that expenditures now made are for permanent constructive work which will be revenue producing in the years to come. Extravagance in ideas is no more justified in times of prosperity than they are at other times. It is in those "other times" that the bills really have to be paid.

Developmental works are necessary and are justified in times of prosperity, when they would be suicidal, in fact quite impossible, in times of depression. When depression prevails it is frequently impossible to provide for even imperative and wholly justifiable expenditures. These must be provided when times are prosperous. It then becomes an equally imperative duty to provide them.

But non-essentials, no matter how desirable they may be in other respects, should be carefully considered less citizens, the taxpayers, are unthinkingly swept into the authorization of expenditures which later on they may have cause to bitterly regret.

Such words of warning are unnecessary in times of depression; it is now, when prosperity is with us, that warnings are necessary and should be heeded.

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Expenditures On Canadian Roads

In 1927 federal, provincial and municipal expenditures on the improvement and maintenance of Canadian roads amounted to \$45,750,000.

Jenkins—"It must be a hard proposition for a man to get as high up as you are in the lodge."

Hankins—"Aw, not so hard! I went up by degrees."

Canada Holds Second Place

Exceeded Only By U.S. In Export Of Agricultural Machinery

According to the eleventh report of the Imperial Economic Committee, Canada is second among the countries of the world in the export of agricultural machinery. The United States is first, Germany third, and United Kingdom fourth. In 1928, the approximate total value of the exports from the four countries was: United States, \$46,315,000; Canada, \$18,915,000; Germany, \$16,525,000; and United Kingdom, \$6,615,000.

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Simple Precautions Against FLU

Sore Throat —

— The Danger Signal

Health Authorities Point Out The Necessity Of Treating The Simple Cold At Its Beginning

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Paying warm tribute to the British mercantile marine, the Prince refers to the thrill that he has always experienced in his world-wide travels at the sight of the red ensign. He refers to the work of the merchant marine in the world war as having provided the final test of a heroism unparalleled in history.

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It is impossible to be energetic if your blood is thin and watery, or if your nerves are frayed or shattered. You cannot compete with others if you do not get refreshing sleep at night, or if your appetite is poor or you are losing weight. You need a tonic at this time to add to your efficiency now, as well as to save you from suffering later on. And in all the realm of medicine, there is no safer or better tonic than Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills tone and enrich the blood which circulates through every portion of the body, strengthening jaded nerves and run-down organs, and bringing a feeling of new strength and energy to weak, easily tired, despondent men, women and children.

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Its spacious cabin looks like a railway baggage van, for the machine has been built as a "tramp" of the skyways. It is known as the Vickers Belmore, and can be used as a freight-carrier, for the transport of troops or as a long-distance bomber.

The two Napier Lion engines have 1,000 horse-power, and with extra tanks to carry additional petrol the machine could remain in the air for between seventy and eighty hours.

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Photograph Immense Area

Civil flying operations are rapidly increasing in Canada, year by year, and one of the fields in which the most marked advance has been made is that of aerial surveying. The preliminary report of 1928 of the photographic work for survey purposes done by the Topographical Survey, Department of the Interior, in co-operation with the Royal Canadian Air Force, shows in round numbers a total of 53,000 square miles of territory covered.

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"Field and Farmyard" Being Distributed Free To Farmers

The new book "Field and Farmyard," which is being offered free to farmers by Imperial Oil Limited, has aroused a great deal of interest among farmers, and is creating for itself a great deal of favorable comment. The book deals with practical farming problems covering different phases of cropping and cultivating, as well as livestock breeding, and has been judged by all classes of farmers in all sections of the country as a most authoritative work. In publishing the book, Imperial Oil Limited secured the services of a large number of outstanding authorities, and were fortunate enough to have these men, whose names are by-words in Canadian Agriculture, cover individually the subjects on which they are admittedly experts.

Dr. C. E. Saunders, producer of Marquis Wheat, is one of the noted authorities whose views on grain farming are incorporated in "Field and Farmyard." Other men whose reputations are familiar to most Canadian farmers, and who are contributors to the book are: W. L. Carlyle, Minister of Agriculture, Ontario; Robt. M. Holtby, Ontario Fieldman for the Canadian Holstein Breeders' Association; Col. Bartley Bull, Hon. President of the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club; W. A. Dryden, chairman of National Livestock Records Board; Col. Robert McEwen, President of the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers' Association; Thomas McMillan M.P., one of Ontario's most famous farmers; Geo. B. Rothwell, Dominion Animal Husbandman of Experimental Farms; Dr. Robt. E. Jenkins, Manager of the Donalds Farms, Ontario; Hon. J. D. McGregor, Lieut.-Governor for Manitoba and well-known Western farmer, and many others.

The general information contained in the book has been compiled and written by the Hon. Duncan Marshall, formerly Minister of Agriculture for the Province of Alberta. The book has been endorsed and recommended to farmers by Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Federal Minister of Agriculture, and Hon. John Martin, Minister of Agriculture for Ontario. Distribution of the book is now being carried out, and a large demand for copies indicates that in providing a valuable farming suggestions and information contained in it, Imperial Oil Limited has instituted a service quite unique in the industrial history of Canada.

Record Beet Acreage Predicted

All records for beet acreage in southern Alberta threaten to go by the boards in 1929. Pre-sign-up indications are that there will be over 10,000 acres of land planted to this crop if the spring outlook is at all satisfactory. No one need endure the agony of corns with Holloway's Corn Remover at hand to remove them. Employer: First of all you've got to make out a blank. Do you know what a blank is, Madam? Applicant for Job: "I ought to. I married one!" Lots of people make trouble and then don't know what to do with it.

Giving It a Chance

A young man whose knowledge of cards was extremely visionary was roped in to complete a bridge four. After a few moments he committed his first mistake by throwing away a king on a trick taken by his opponent's ace. "Good heavens!" bellowed the young man's partner, "a king doesn't usually beat an ace, you know."

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Two hundred French-Canadians passed through Winnipeg recently over the Canadian National Railways for the Peace River District where they are to settle.

Captain Sir Hubert Wilkins, polar explorer, has decided to postpone from this summer to next his proposed submarine trip across the Arctic seas.

The Chinese people in Manchuria alone smoke eight and a half billion cigarettes every year, according to figures compiled by the Mukden government.

Alexander I. Fisher, K.C., of Fernie, B.C., has received notification from Ottawa of his appointment to the supreme court bench of British Columbia. Mr. Fisher has practiced law there for 23 years.

The Roman Catholic Church in St. Norbert, near Winnipeg, an ancient landmark of the West, has been destroyed by fire. Damage was estimated at \$60,000. St. Norbert Church was built in 1884.

On the arrival of the steamer "Princess Norah" at Tofino, West Coast of Vancouver, His Excellency Lord Willingdon was made a chief of the Clayquot Indians with colorful ceremonies.

Japan will name a minister plenipotentiary to Canada just as soon as Emperor Hirohito is officially informed of the appointment of Hon. Herbert M. Marler, of Montreal, as Canadian envoy extraordinary at Tokyo.

All existing records for speedy travel between Edmonton and Calgary were shattered when Captain "Wop" May covered the distance of 186 miles in the Lockheed Vega of the Commercial Airways in one hour and a half.

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Large Construction Program

C.P.R. Announces Big Program Of Construction Work In The West

D. C. Coleman, vice-president of western lines, Canadian Pacific Railway, announces a large construction programme in the west this year. The work will include the building of a number of new stations, houses for officials and roadmasters, 13 new section houses, cooling plants, block signal and protection devices with additional trackage at terminal yards. The rock ballast programme will be pressed; many bridges replaced and the laying of 100 pound steel on the main line pushed forward. About 100 miles of rock ballast between Fort William and Winnipeg will be laid this year and 350 miles of 100 pound steel laid.

Toronto Is Growing

An expenditure of \$13,000,000 for the carrying out of plans designed to relieve traffic congestion in the city and to develop proposed beautification schemes has been recommended to the Toronto City Council by the Advisory City Planning Commission.

Toronto, the capital of the province of Ontario, has grown rapidly in recent years. It has a population of about 600,000 and is the second largest city in Canada.

Casey: "Are yez goin' to Riley's party?"

Maloney: "Indade of am. Oi had a challenge to it yesterday!"

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Farm Loans Soon Available
Ottawa Ready To Administer System To Canadian Farmers
Alberta and British Columbia lead the provinces of Canada in the move to take advantage of the long term loan system, given to farmers through the Canadian Farm Loan Board. In these two provinces provincial boards have been nominated by orders-in-council. This was announced by Dr. J. D. MacLean, commissioner of the Central Board, following the first meeting of that body since he returned from an organization tour of the west.
At the meeting, a statement given out by Dr. MacLean says, there was general discussion with respect to the progress of the work of the board, both at head office and where the branches are organizing. Machinery in Ottawa is complete for the administration of the long loan system to Canadian farmers. It remains only for the provinces to form their boards and for the federal and provincial bodies to deal with the applications for funds made to them. He expects loans to be made to farmers in the near future.

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Every British Dominion Has An Independent Function In The League of Nations Body

One fact which has been made clear by the recent session of the League of Nations at Geneva is that Canada and every British Dominion has a definite and independent function in that body. Despite the conditions under which this country entered the League and the World Court, there still remains in the minds of some European statesmen the erroneous idea that Great Britain is the spokesman for the whole Empire.

Several episodes during the last session brought this subject to the fore, and in such a way, as to make the position of the Dominions abundantly clear. One of these had reference to the World Court, when exception was taken by several European delegates to a British Dominion being separately represented even if the question dealt with was of paramount importance to that Dominion.

Such a contention is absolutely contrary to the whole basis of Dominion inclusion in the League and the World Court and the British delegate, Sir Cecil Hurst, replied very forcibly with the statement that even if an English Judge was on the court, the Dominions would have the right of representation should it be dealing with a question which directly affected their interests.

Neither Canada nor any of the self-governing Dominions have ever recognized the right of Motherland delegates to vote or speak for them and the sooner this is clearly understood by all member states of the League, the sooner will progress be made in matters affecting our interests.

Canadians are heart and soul behind the general idea and ideals for the maintenance of world peace of the League, but they will never be satisfied to take any position of inferiority in its councils, or relegate their vital interests to any one but their national representatives.

Our Potential Wealth

Canada Destined To Be The Richest Country In The World

In a recent article written for a Toronto financial paper, James E. Boyle, Professor of Agricultural Economics at Cornell University, states:

"Canada is a country of vast virgin resources. The United States is sometimes spoken of as the richest country in the world, due to the immense progress of both agriculture and industry in that country. The fact is, however, that Canada is a country of larger area, and of far greater wealth in natural resources per capita. With a balanced development of Canadian resources, coupled with an equally balanced growth of those two great arteries of economic life—transportation and banking—Canada is destined to be the wealthiest country in the world. Already her exports per capita have a value four times those of the United States."

A Hazardous Occupation

Natural Scientists Face Many Dangers In Tropical Jungles

Pursuit of moths and butterflies in the tropical jungles of Ecuador is a hazardous occupation, according to W. Judson Coxey, member of the Philadelphia Academy of Natural Sciences, who returned from a protracted expedition.

Coxey told of meeting bird-eating spiders the size of dinner plates and killing venomous reptiles in the haunts of rare and beautiful butterflies. One of the spiders encountered, Coxey said, he was forced to shoot with a revolver as it was about to spring at him.

Rattlesnakes which give no warning when attacking, were brought back by the scientist. They are known as "Ecco" or "X" snakes because of their markings and have "rattles" which make no noise.

Leave It To The Yankee

The English visiting merchant was talking impressively to an American. "In my firm," he said, "the clerks use 32,000 gallons of ink in a year." "That's nothing compared to mine," replied the Yankee. "We saved that much ink last year by instructing our clerks not to dot their 'i's'."



"Why is baby's bed so high?" "My husband and I sleep soundly and that is to hear him if he falls out in the night."—Lustige Kolner, Zeitung, Cologne.

W. N. U. 1781

Spring Song



"What a fight that fellow gave!" And so on, into the night. This is one of several photographs published by the Tourist Department of the Canadian Pacific Railway to remind the unhappy angler that "Spring has come—and all the streams are o-open." Photographed near Lake Archambault, north of Montreal.

Prospects Brighten In Maritime Section

Betterment In The Economic Conditions Now Apparent

Since the first of the year, there has been an increase in car loadings for the Atlantic region of the Canadian National Railways of 3,100 cars over the same period last year. This forms a very good index as to the economic conditions of the Maritime. Numerous large works have been undertaken including pulp and paper mills and additions to hydro-electric plants. The cold storage facilities at Halifax are rapidly nearing completion and they will bring Halifax in line with the most modern ports on the Atlantic seaboard. A cold and dry storage warehouse is also under construction at Moncton, and this should prove a very valuable addition to the facilities for the handling of products requiring this class of storage. Altogether the prospects look very bright for the continuance of the betterment in the economic condition of the Maritime provinces. Various mining developments are under way and there has been considerable increase in capital investments both for new buildings and for additions to existing plants.

"What is it that lives in a barn, eats oats, walks on four legs, and can see as well from behind as from the front?" "I'll bite. What is it?" "A blind horse."

First Flapper—I say, your brother Dick can dance.

Second Flapper—I know. Oxford's been the making of that boy.

Approved Dairy Herd Sires

Reports Of Canadian Record Of Performance Guide To Securing Good Animals

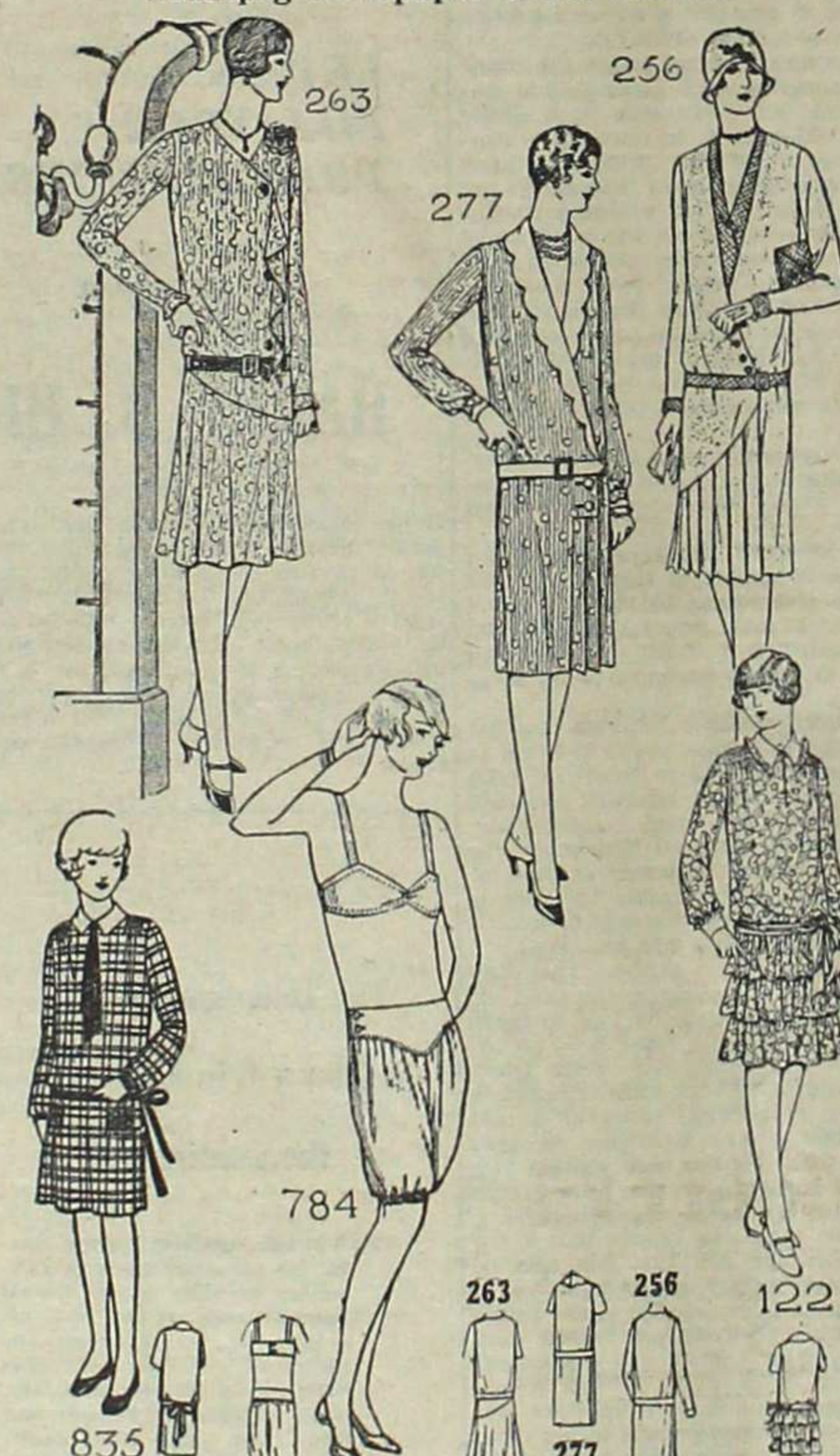
Owners of dairy herds looking for sires bred from high producing stock would find great assistance in locating suitable animals in the reports of the "Canadian Record of Performance for Pure-Bred Dairy Cattle." This publication, issued each year by the Live Stock Branch of the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa, gives the records of the hundreds of cows tested during the year that reach the standard for registration. The breeds thus tested include the Ayrshire, the Brown Swiss, the French-Canadian, the Guernsey, the Holstein-Friesian, the Jersey, the Red polled, and the Shorthorn. In all these breeds provision is made for the registration of bulls, which are admitted after having four progeny in the Record of Performance, each from a different dam. Report No. 20 of the "Canadian Record of Performance" contains the names and registered progeny of a large number of sires. By referring to the pages of this report one may discover that there are quite near their homes herds from which they may strengthen their milking herd or secure a sire of approved breeding.

Sure To Hear Of Them

Palpitatingly, the infatuated young man sought counsel at the bazaar of an ancient and prayed that the ancient tell him how he might learn of his fair lady's faults.

"Go forth among her women friends," spoke the venerable one, "and praise her in their hearing."

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Scientists Do Not Put Salary Ahead Of Their Work

The successor of the famous Pasteur is Dr. Roux, director of the Pasteur Institute in Paris. Dr. Roux's salary is 20,000 francs per year, or in Canadian money, precisely \$800. This great and famous scientist lives in a garret, with an iron bedstead, a table, a chair and a washstand as the only furniture. Of course he is at the laboratory at 7 in the morning and does not quit the place till 8 in the evening. Around him in the research rooms he has gathered a devoted band of young scientists from all lands; Russians, Germans, Belgians, Czechs, a Japanese, an Arab, and several Americans.

One of these assistants told Mr. Pierre Van Paassen, a representative of the New York Evening World, the following typical anecdote about the professor the other day. A young German doctor told the "maitre" he was leaving. "Why?" asked Dr. Roux. "We are on the eve of making a great discovery. Another three or four years and I think we will be justified in announcing the result of our investigations to the world." The assistant then cautiously intimated that he was going because of financial reasons. "Comment?" shouted Prof. Roux—"a scientist goes because of money! Monsieur, that is nothing less than treason!" "Can you improve my situation, Maitre?" asked the German doctor. "I can give you a raise of 100 francs a year (\$4), no more. I know you are an excellent confere, I doubt not that some day humanity will be grateful to you. But that's all I can do!"

Would Increase Income Of Poultry Farmers

Research Workers Seek Diet For Hens During February and March

Hundreds of thousands of dollars will be added to the annual income of Canadian farmers and poultry breeders when a squad of research workers now experimenting at the Ontario Agricultural College at Guelph, finally track down the answer to a difficult problem.

The scientists seek—and believe they now see indicated—a diet that will make the Canadian hen set at hatching under the feeble sun of February or March, produce as large and healthy a family as her cousin who sits during these months in the southern United States. Briefly the research workers propose to capture sunshine and compress it into labelled tins of chicken food.

Experiments carried on since the beginning of the year indicate that the desired effect may be attained to a great extent by mixing cod liver oil with the regular diet of grain, plus some beef scraps or milk. The work is being done on a grant of \$10,000 a year, of which the empire marketing board and the Ontario Department of Agriculture each are contributing half. It will take three years to work out a satisfactory answer, the workers say. Percy Graham, head of the college poultry department, is directing the experiment and five poultry specialists are working under him.

Cattle and Airships

Million and Half Sacrificed To Furry Gold-Beaters' Skin For Two Dirigibles

In the construction of two new dirigibles the United States will have to sacrifice 1,500,000 cattle.

The part the cattle take in the construction of the most modern of transportation through furnishing the "gold-beaters' skin" for the airship forms a new chapter in the romance of industry.

"Gold-beaters' skin" is nothing more or less than a small tough section in the intestine of a steer. It got this name from the Middle Ages, when goldsmiths discovered that by putting gold between two strips of this skin they could hammer it for days, making the finest gold leaf without tearing the skin.

Its great strength, along with its lightness of texture, and the further fact that it permitted less diffusion of gas than any other known substance, recommended it for balloon work. This was tried in England before and during the war and proved successful.

Event Not Included

Brown was relating his narrow escape from drowning to some of his friends. "As I went down for the third time," he said, "all the past events of my life flashed before my eyes!"

"Really," replied one of the listeners. "I guess you didn't see yourself paying back that five I lent you six months ago."

When the Empress Dowager of China died, in 1908, her pearl necklace was buried with her. It contained nearly six thousand pearls and was valued at \$900,000.

She "I didn't think you'd break your engagement with Eva; you said she was your dream girl."

He "She was—but I woke up."

Powder in guns for 40 years was found in good condition by University of Nevada.

Work of Preserving Law and Order is Large Assignment in Our Vast Northern Empire

RECEIVES NEW APPOINTMENT



R. D. PURDY

The Alberta Wheat Pool announces the appointment of R. D. Purdy as manager of Alberta Food Elevators Limited, to succeed C. M. Hall, retired. Mr. Purdy has been manager of Alberta Wheat Pool Organization since January, 1925, and this change makes him manager of the subliminal organization known as the Pool Elevators, as well. Alberta Food Elevators operate more than 310 country elevators in Alberta, as well as three terminals on the Pacific coast. Mr. Purdy came to the Wheat Pool from the Bank of Montreal, he having been assistant manager of the Edmonton branch. He was born in Brighton, Ontario, and came West in 1905. He served twenty years with the banking business before coming to the Pool.

Manitoba To Have Airplane Factory

Seven Acres Of Land In St. Boniface Sold For Site

An airplane manufacturing plant, heralded as the greatest industrial advancement in years, will be established in St. Boniface immediately. Announcement that the factory would be brought to St. Boniface was made by B. C. Mills, of Mills and Company, Winnipeg, following a special meeting of the Cathedral city council, when seven acres of land were sold for the site.

The plant, according to Mr. Mills, will be the Canadian branch of one of the largest aeroplane manufacturing concerns in the world, and it will be controlled entirely in Canada. The name of the parent company has not yet been divulged. The seven-acre site of the new plant, which was sold with track-ago, is known as the old Rat Portage Lumber Company's and old Arctic Ice Company's property, and is located between Tache Avenue and the Norwood Bridge.

Canada's North Is Real Beauty Land

Vivid Picture Of Charm Presented In R.C.M.P. Report

Canada's great Northland is pictured, not as a region of solitude and waste, but as a land of beauty and attractiveness, in the report of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, tabled in the House of Commons. East of the Great Slave Lake the scenic beauty is inspiring, according to Inspector Gagnon, who, describing a lengthy patrol to Fort Reliance says:

"The Hornby and Inconnu channels are the most beautiful routes possible; at every moment there is something to captivate attention, either in the abrupt shores or cliffs, or their varied coloration, or the thousand and one islands one encounters. Both channels are lined with innumerable pleasant little harbors.

"The waters are very clear and cold, and full of delicious trout."

Will Attract Hunters

Plenty Of Big Game To Be Found In Alaska

As a big game country, Alaska comes a close second to Africa, despite its lack of lion, elephant and rhino. Furthermore, it is likely to attract hunters longer than the latter terrain, for here is less annual "cleaning up" of a district.

What is even more important to the territory back of Anchorage and the Alaska railroad, are plenty of moose, caribou, mountain sheep and goat, and black and brown bear.

What is even more important to the ordinary hunter—it costs less to outfit for the Alaskan hinterland than to attempt Nairobi.

Building Two Ways

The statement made at the convention of contractors held in Hamilton that material used in construction was now almost entirely of Canadian origin and manufacture was something to enthuse over. We build two ways when we build that way.

"Is he mean?" "Mean! He's so mean that if he were a ghost he wouldn't give you a fright."

Some years ago when our neighbors to the south betrayed an inclination to challenge Canada's right to her unoccupied Arctic hinterland, to her unoccupied reference to Ellesmere Island, the advisability of taking more active steps to prevent future trouble became apparent. That invaluable and highly efficient arm of the government, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, offered a ready-to-hand solution of the problem and shortly afterwards the business of establishing "more northerly outposts" was undertaken seriously. It began in 1920 with the placing of a detachment at Port Burwell, near Cape Chidley, at the northeastern tip of the continental mainland, to assist the Customs Department to control the inward and outward bound Hudson's Bay trade. Since then police posts have been located on all the three great islands forming the western boundary of the lane of water west of Greenland. That lane is comprised of Davis Strait, Baffin Bay, Smith Sound, Kane Basin and Kennedy Channel, hitherto together furnishing the avenue of approach to the North Pole.

On Baffin Island, the southernmost of these boundary islands, three detachments of police are stationed—at Ponds Inlet, at the northern end; Pangnirtung, on Cumberland Gulf, and Lake Harbor, in the south, on Hudson Strait. On the central island, North Devon, is Dundas Harbor, on Ellesmere Island, the northernmost, is a detachment at the northernmost, on Kane Basin, La Bache Peninsula, on Kane Basin, in latitude 79.04 degrees north. In addition, constables have been lent to the Royal Canadian Air Force for service at its bases on Hudson Strait, where it kept ice conditions continuously under observation last winter. From these various Arctic stations the whole northeastern archipelago has been and still is being controlled and administered. The police patrols have not hesitated to make very long journeys. For example, in the early part of 1927 the non-commissioned officer in charge of Bache Peninsula detachment crossed Ellesmere Island to visit the cluster of islands to the west—Axel, Heiberg and others—some undiscovered territory until a quarter of a century ago. This patrol lasted fifty-four days and covered about 1,300 miles.

About the same time a non-commissioned officer in charge of the Pangnirtung detachment made a patrol of about the same distance, skirting the southeastern coast of Baffin Island and returning across the almost unknown interior. A constable, finding the body of a fur trader in his cabin on Baffin Island, hauled it out on his sled for 450 miles of difficult travel to Ponds Inlet for an inquest and Christian burial. The officers and non-commissioned officers in charge of mounted police detachments have commissions as customs collectors, postmasters, coroners, and magistrates. Bache Peninsula is believed to be the most northerly postoffice in the world. The Eskimos here have shown less disposition for violence than further west, but on one occasion, in 1920, a white man was killed by them near Cape Crawford, the northwestern tip of Baffin Island. The non-commissioned officer in charge at Ponds Inlet investigated, found the body, in his capacity as coroner held an inquest, arrested the accused, collected the witnesses and as magistrate committed the accused for trial. In 1923 a special court was sent from eastern Canada, which tried, convicted and sentenced those responsible for the homicide. There also have been cases of religious mania and homicidal insanity among these people. The relations between the police and the Eskimos are good.

There's a Reason

The Egyptian government is planning a motor road over the route followed by the Israelites on their 40 years' journey to the Promised Land. But nothing is said as yet about drying up the Red Sea, says the Buffalo Courier-Express.

Makes No Difference

The average time, the New York Telegram points out, taken by a fast railroad train to pass a grade crossing is seven seconds—whether there happens to be anything on the crossing or not.

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Surveying of the local lumber company's limits on Sumas mountain is proceeding, and preparations are under way to make a logging road, connecting the timber stand with the G.N.R. spur near Kilgord. Felling of this stand, which is cruised at about six million feet, starts shortly.

Production has been speeded up in the local plant, under direction of Edgar Trethewey, B. Newcomb and other executives. To build up yard stocks, a night shift starts on the planers this week.

Friar's Crossing, 1902

Heartening sketch of "good old days" in Friar's Crossing, as an old-timer tells it.

Dawn breaks on the little hamlet, the rain descends in a steady stream. For hours no sound is heard but the patter of raindrops on shingles and sidewalks. Grey shingles—grey, water-logged sidewalks, grey walls, grey mud—ye gods! Signs of life at last. The door of the alleged hotel opens, and a decrepit Chinaman emerges with bucket and broom. He stands on the sidewalk and dispels an acute bronchial congestion with Oriental fervor. This ode to morn lasts about ten minutes and is rendered daily, a fitting tribute from the lords of creation to the glory of the day.

The bar-tender descends from a fevered slumber, and having surveyed the premises with a jaundiced eye, takes a couple of terrific jolts from the only bottle containing real whiskey and prepares for the business of the day.

Across the way, in the Old Man's 'Ome, stentorian snores and alcoholic mutterings give place to groans and bad language as, waking, a dozen heads, attached to the same number of old probates throb dizzily on a dozen pillows. Boots are pulled on, and this simple toilet completed, the denizens of this refuge totter across the road and join the procession which from all points of the compass, is now headed for the "bar"—for the hour of the eye-opener is at hand.

By ten o'clock the second eye of the average citizen has begun to unfold, and by noon both optics are not only fully dilated, but are acquiring a slight glaze.

The village bums, having received their eye-opener free, gratis, and for services rendered, drape themselves around the door of the livery barn, and similar points of vantage, and relapse into a coma from which only the invitation to "have one" or the arrival of a stranger can awaken them.

The business of the hamlet is conducted along the simplest lines. Should you desire a suit of clothes, a box of insurance taken out, as you enter the bar, select the gentleman professionally associated with the article you desire, and after a few friendly rounds you transact your business and depart or maybe remain and make a night of it.

An air of excitement now prevails. There is much craning of necks and winking and whispering, for a stranger, a real, white-collared live wire has arrived and is even now headed for the hotel. He enters the office... there is nobody there. He tries the dining room—it is locked; he goes upstairs... the bronchial Celestial is in charge... he "no savvies." He enters the bar where a dense mass of citizenry is maintaining a polite silence. The proprietor advances... he is honored—he extends the welcome of the community—will the stranger condescend to drink with him. He will, and does. The proprietor sips cold tea and does the honors. The stranger shakes hands with the merchant princes... both of them... with the legal and political lights of the community, in fact with everyone. The proprietor is thorough, he finally presents the gentleman who mucks out the livery barn. The gentleman who mucks out the livery barn is pleased to know him. He invites the stranger to "put it there." The stranger hastily draws on a glove and puts it there. It is all so unaffected and human.

Introductions over, the stranger's glass is empty, so is every other glass in the room. There is a tense, expectant silence. It is most decidedly "up" to the stranger to say something. He says it—there is a surge towards the

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SCOTCH SINGING EVANGELIST AT ABBOTSFORD NAZARENE CHURCH

G. W. Scott, Scotch Singing Evangelist and Preacher, began a series of revival meetings in the Abbotsford Nazarene church last Wednesday. The services will continue every night this week at 7.45. Mr. Scott has been singing and preaching the gospel almost daily for 18 years. He is known to thousands in the various evangelistic denominations in the western part of the United States and also the Salvation Army, among whom he has labored with good success. Mr. Scott is now making a world missionary tour, in the interest of a non-sectarian missionary society, known as the All-Nations Bible Missionary Society, which he founded some time ago.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend these meetings. Rev. George Hartzell, pastor.

A large representation from the M. S. A. Post Canadian Legion attended the provincial convention in Chilliwack last week, and reported instructive, enjoyable sessions. Chilliwack City and Municipality made up a grant of \$100 towards the event.

Ivy Lee entertained a number of young friends at a birthday party in her home on Monday afternoon.

The Birthday Club surprised Mrs. E. Mouldy and Mrs. Culliton this week, presenting them with gifts.

bar; the six bums dozing on the empty cases by the door uncoil themselves and reach the bar in one motion, the two bums draped over the radiator make a dead heat of it, and the dozen bums festooned about the livery barn door arrive five seconds later, while as many more are spued from the cupboards, sheds and basements, and a seething mass of arid tramps is now milling around the bar in an endeavor to drink the stranger's health. They succeed, the stranger hands over the price of a week's board and lodging and makes a note of the high price of good health in the burg.

Outside the rain descends monotonously. Four or five cows are lying in as many craters in the road outside the hotel and a flock of geese is dozing on the sidewalk. A few optimistic and not over-particular hens are nourishing themselves from the morose, and a large and intensely yellow mongrel is dragging a mass of slaughter-house offal beneath a house. A hog is being killed somewhere in the immediate vicinity and various nondescript roosters are crowing from the apex of heaps of a material associated from time immemorial with the elevation and support of roosters in song.

Friar's Crossing in this year of grace does not look, smell or sound nice. And what is more, nobody seems to give a hoot except the government, who even now, is depleting the treasury in an endeavor to make the sidewalks safe for democracy.

Within the week there will be a provincial election, and Friar's Crossing has, at this eleventh hour, earned that consideration to which its taxes, booze consumption and ability to poll four hundred votes for the right party entitles it. The public works department, of which nothing has been seen since the last election, is now giving a demonstration of service with a capital S.

From up the street comes the sound of hammering (not steadily, you understand, but every once in a while) where old man X, in return for "sterling support of the principles upon which true democracy is founded" has got a three-day job patching up the sidewalks, while down the main street comes a gravel wagon piloted by another staunch supporter of the right party, and a third first-class voter stops him at intervals and extracts a few shovelfuls of gravel which he throws in some of the smaller holes—the larger ones already being filled with cows.

Some citizens, gazing at the mud, remark that this is a poor time to spread gravel, which shows now sample some citizens can be and still live.

Let us leave the repairing of the town in the hands of these three solid patriots and return to the bar where the entire male population has now congregated and from whence the sound of revelry emerges in no mean volume.

Another spender is here, no stranger but rather an annual visitor. From an immense roll of party funds he peels a five-dollar bill and intervals and calls for drinks for the house. Around him are clustered the loyal henchmen, the faithful heeled, the brains of that intricate system responsible for keeping places like Friar's Crossing in exactly the way in which it has been kept.

The bums are in clover. They hiccup their allegiance to the good old party. The proprietor has forsaken cold tea for Scotch, for this is an occasion. He remembers what Gladstone said in '82—his voice is raised in snatches of political songs of a past generation. The bartender switches to cold tea. He has been waiting long for just such an occasion. He carries the money as far as the cash register, rings "no sale" and figures that a few more evenings like this one and he will be able to buy up the joint.

The noise increases, the smoke thickens, the weaker brethren are "rolled" and put to bed or "rolled" and pushed off the sidewalk according to their standing in the community; thick voices are raised in advertising their owner's political sagacity, personal heroism, general infallibility: "whash this country needs!" "I tolk..." "herish to go to!" "I saysh to him, he, whosh dyer



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The greatest effort in the history of Canadian cleanliness is on! Cleanliness has a history. Its influence can be traced down the ages. Those races that were Clean were the races that were Masters.

The Athenians, with their baths and beautiful homes conquered the Persians, with their unkempt beards and dirty skins. The Romans, with their aqueducts, their barbers, their gardens beat back the barbarians with their goat skins and greasy fingers.

Louis the Fourteenth was the dirtiest monarch France ever had and one of her mightiest. Filth kept the Panama Canal from being built years before it finally was. Bolshevism flourished when the dirty and the ignorant gained control in Russia—anarchy breeds in filth and squalor.

Cleanliness has always been po-

tent. Modern sanitation saved millions of lives in the great war.

Real people, the wise, the leaders in progress, always have fought for cleanliness. At times it has been a sporadic fight, a skirmish. A clean man was handicapped by a neighbor who let his premises run wild. But co-operation has been brought to play at last.

This year, in Canada alone, hundreds of villages, towns and cities are campaigning for cleanliness, health, and beauty. They are not doing so for a day or a week but in a continuous campaign. There is a steady pressure.

Tin cans, flies, refuse, dirt, waste paper, unsightly buildings, unpainted surfaces are taboo. The drive is on. I won't be stopped.

Join the forward movement. Clean Up, Paint Up, and Keep It Up. Make the old enemies, Dirt and Disease and Unsightliness abdicate forever.

will not adhere to it. Boiled oil should never be used for any coat in outside painting.

Paint may fail from causes other than those named because of application on dirty or greasy surfaces; because of leaky roofs; because of the use of adulterated linseed oil and poor dryers; because the coats are too thick, or because the under-coats are not dry—but the majority of cases are covered by the causes specifically named in this article.

Canada Encourages Ranching Industry

Federal Regulations Govern Long
Term Leases Of Suitable
Grazing Land

Development of stock grazing in Western Canada is facilitated by regulations of the Canadian Government Department of the Interior, which provides for long-term leases of land for grazing purposes. Lands subject to these regulations are located in the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and in the Peace River Tract, and the Railway Belt in British Columbia.

Lands classified as unsuitable for usual agricultural purposes and suitable for grazing are leased in blocks up to 25,000 acres, which is the maximum area any person or company may lease. Leases are for periods of 10 and 21 years, and the rental is 2 cents per acre per year. Leases may be renewed upon expiry if the land is not required for other purposes. Each lessee must maintain on the land covered by his lease stock owned by himself in the proportion of one head of cattle or horse, or five sheep, for every 30 acres leased. Leases may be cancelled for non-fulfilment of the regulations.

Grazing leases are issued only to British subjects. In the case of a company the majority of the directors must be British subjects, and the company must be incorporated under Dominion or Provincial laws.

Don't Neglect Painting Up

Make the Paint Brush the Partner
Of the Scrub Brush In Your
Campaign Against Dirt

Paint-Up goes hand in hand with Clean-Up. When you have dusted and swept and mopped the corners and the open spaces, put the paint brush to work. It will be easy to keep things clean then. A painted surface does not accumulate dirt like an unpainted one does. Besides, dirt is more obvious on a painted surface, and less apt to be ignored. Paintliness is the best incentive to cleanliness—which you know is "next to godliness."

Make the paint brush the partner of the scrubbing brush. They make a whole team. Enlist both of them for Clean-Up and Paint-Up. It doesn't need much argument to convince a man that his house and his barn and his whole farm will be worth more money if the buildings are kept in the best order.

"Why so gloomy, old chap?"
"I just heard that my uncle has cut me out of his will. He's altered it five times in the last two years."

"Hal! Sort of fresh heir fiend, what!"

Gillett: "Did you ever kiss a girl when she wasn't looking?"

Terry: "Not when she wasn't good-looking."

We have observed that the value of anything depends a good deal on whether you are wanting to buy it or trying to sell it.

Hoisting of the Nationalist flag in Manchuria on December 31, placed the greater part of China under the Nationalist government.

Toothbrushes and handkerchiefs have figured among the tokens of valor presented by Chinese generals to the troops under their command.

A vegetable garden, properly cultivated in the back yard 25x50 feet, at a cost not exceeding \$2.00 for seeds and \$5.00 for fertilizer—

Will very materially reduce the cost of living.

Will supply a family of 6 with fresh vegetables throughout the season.

Will yield, in cash value, produce worth from \$50 to \$100 per season.

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The First Clean-Up

Safety and Fire Prevention In Clean-Up and Paint-Up Campaign

Prior to the first Clean-Up and Paint-Up campaign in Cincinnati, the fire loss in a year totaled \$1,340,000. The year after the campaign it was reduced to \$370,537.

This saving of more than \$900,000 in actual property loss brought about a reduction in the annual insurance premiums aggregating \$160,000 in the business section alone. The campaign, which the Chamber of Commerce started, but which was supported by all interests, cost only \$10,000.

Similarly the city of Decatur, Ill., reported a fire loss of \$164,010 during the year before the campaign. The following year the loss was only \$63,467. Fire losses in Rochester, N.Y., also were reduced 40 per cent. after only one Clean-Up and Paint-Up campaign.

What a campaign does in the beginning is to bring about the cleaning out of all accumulations of trash—old papers, rags, oily scraps and waste from dark corners, attics, basements and closets of houses, and the removal and destruction of all rubbish piles outdoors. Records show that 90 per cent. of all fires are preventable and most of them start in just these piles of waste.

Some time ago the Saturday Evening Post printed an article that clearly told of the advantages of a clean town—a town that is a good place to live in and that looks it. The article said, in part:

"Materialists—and the Commercial Club is usually 98 per cent. strong on material results—usually overlook the commercial value of the aesthetic. A man may live in a pig sty and get used to it; but even he notices the difference when he gets out. A town may be so used to dog feces and ragweed on the streets, and mosquito-breeding ponds along the lower road, and tin cans and rotting rags in back alleys—that it does not have the nerves and blues and chills every time it sees itself. But the stranger who sees it afar off, even from the car window, does not stop unless he is compelled to, and then gets away on the first train. Moreover, the looks of a town unquestionably affect the spirit of the people. And a raggedy town has a raggedy soul."

Instead of sweating to aise a \$50,000 bonus to hire some alleged manufacturer to come to town, the Commercial Club had better raise \$500 to clean up the town and make it fit to come to.

"It is easy to say that bread is more important than flowers. And it is. The most important things in the world are bread and shelter. But 96 per cent. of the people in the county towns and smaller cities are above the bread line. At least 90 per cent. of them have some luxuries. The first and most important luxury is a pleasant environment. Practically all the people see the town every day."

"If the streets are clean, the lawns well clipped, flowers in the yard, the air sweet, the water clean—one does not require either wealth, taste or culture to enjoy that. Consciously, every person gets some sort of pleasure from a town of that sort."

"It makes people want to stay. And when people want to live in a town—when it is so healthy, so attractive, so pleasant that they love to go to it and hate to leave—they are going to build their own occupations and invent their own factories. They will find ways of earning a living."

It is the duty of every citizen to prevent deterioration. Paint is both a beautifier and a preventative of building decay.

Epidemics that come in the summer months have their origin in filth. We cannot hope to make our town a bigger town, unless we make it a cleaner town.

It is a well known fact that flies have been the means of transmission of disease, and this pest may be responsible for the transmission of infantile paralysis.

Filth, more than all other causes, combined, produces disease, and it is up to every citizen to see that his immediate surroundings are sanitary.

Every citizen should make an effort to clean up his house and property so as to avoid fire risk, to abolish all places that might breed flies and mosquitoes to eliminate weeds and to help clean up vacant lots.

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Rules For Fire Prevention

Do not permit rubbish, greasy rags, paper and useless waste to accumulate in or around buildings.

Do not allow matches kept in your homes, offices and stores in other than metal boxes. Use safety matches.

Do not allow children under ten years of age to use matches.

Do not use lamps and lamp burners that are not clean.

Do not tamper with or extend electric wire; employ an electrician.

Do not keep gasoline in other than air-tight cans painted red.

Do not fill tank of gasoline stove when lighted and fill by daylight only.

Do not permit a rubber tube connection to a gas stove.

Do not empty ashes in other than metal cans.

Do not carelessly throw cigar and cigarette stubs where they could cause a fire.

Do not fail to warn your children of the dangerous bonfires.

Loss through preventable fires in the United States is \$250,000,000 which, however, is exceeded by the annual loss through the lack of painting—according to Prof. H. H. King, who has conducted paint tests for several years for the people of Kansas, at the Kansas Agricultural College.

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These All Count

Here are some pointers for citizens who would regenerate their community with a real Clean Up and Paint Up campaign:

1. Take away all the ashes and trash from your back yard immediately. Send your rubbish to the dumping ground.

2. Suggest to several men with teams, that they drive through the alleys with a sign, "Clean-Up Wagon" on their wagons; also a bell calling attention. People are only too glad to pay such a man for hauling their trash away.

3. Burn all rubbish that will burn. Clean your vacant lots and alley ways.

4. Make your street and parking look as trim and well kept as possible.

5. Refrain from throwing old paper, banana and orange skins into the streets.

6. Plant some grass and flower seeds to make your home beautiful.

7. If your store front is dingy, paint it. Nothing will do more to improve the appearance of a town than the liberal use of paint.

8. If there are unnecessary, unsightly sheds in your back yards, tear them down. They detract from the beauty of your home and the town. Open spaces and fresh air are better.

9. If your walk is an eyesore to those travelling over it, repair it or build a new one.

10. Trim hedges and trees and spray trees.

11. Paint and whitewash barns, poultry houses, outbuildings, etc.

12. Paint tools and machinery.

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For Health's Sake

Clean - Up and Paint-Up—Guard
Against Epidemics By Removing
Their Cause

Tuberculosis and other germ diseases are generally brought about by dirt and filth. The germs of tuberculosis cannot live where there is sunlight, cleanliness, and fresh air. The scrubbing brush, soap and water, paint and whitewash are deadly enemies of tuberculosis. The easiest way to get rid of the germs that have nested in your house and around your premises is: Clean-Up and Paint-Up.

The cleaning out of filth will keep down influenza, infantile paralysis, typhoid, and diphtheria, as well as tuberculosis. And the painting brush should follow the scrubbing brush so that the cleaned places may be kept clean.

Do you want a clean town? Then do your part. Go through your house from cellar to roof and gather up all the old, useless, worn-out things stored away and get rid of them now. Clean out all rubbish, ashes, etc., in the cellars, yards, alleys, and areaways.

Screen your homes thoroughly. Remove any animal or vegetable matter. Manure breeds flies, which carry disease to human beings, especially the babies. Clean out and fix up the manure bins. Repair your yard fences, poultry houses, out-houses, etc. Then paint or whitewash them. Don't spare the paint.

Clean-Up and Paint-Up On the Farm

The man who owns a farm or lives on one should be just as much interested in Clean-Up and Paint-Up as the city householder. And the incentive to start such campaigns has been just as marked in the rural districts as in the more thickly populated ones.

Farmers everywhere are being urged to remove ramshackle buildings, repair and paint those that remain, trim hedges and trees, and clean and paint tools and machinery.

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The Use of Paint

Lessens Farmer's Cost Of Doing
Business

The farmer, like the manufacturer, must employ the most efficient and economical methods of doing business if he is to prosper. When he keeps track of costs he finds that by building of better material, buying better implements, and then taking care of them, he increases his power of production and lessens the drain on his income.

Next to the purchase of good materials, the use of good paint is the farmer's best insurance; it protects his property and equipment against the rapid deterioration caused by wear and weather. The protection and appearance of barns, fences, windmills, wag

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CHAPTER XVII.—Continued

Connie made no attempt to check her cayuse's onward flight. She was in no mood to listen to the kudos of the admiring crowd; she wanted only to get away from the scene as quickly as possible. The movement toward the centre gave her the opportunity she desired, and she urged the weary cayuse through an opening on her left. Many hands were reached up to congratulate her, but she pushed her way through to the trail.

At the sound of hoof-beats behind her she turned to see Lafonté urging his tired mount toward the Pemberton trail and looking back apprehensively over his shoulder.

Several men were running after him, shaking their fists and uttering loud imprecations. A man leaped from behind a jack-pine to land in the path of the half-breed, lunged for the reins, missed, then caught the stirrup. Lafonté struck the man a blow with his heavy whip that loosened his hold and felled him to the ground.

Connie saw Gillis break from the crowd, jump to the saddle of a cayuse and start after the fleeing man just as the latter disappeared in the woods. Gillis waved his hand to her and vanished in pursuit. She urged Pegasus to the shelter of the timber as she saw her father and Donald running toward her.

The strenuous race and the spectacular fall had left both horse and rider in a badly shaken condition. Connie's body was bruised and sore, and her head ached horribly. The cayuse's strained muscles were stiffening, he was limping badly, and his head drooped wearily as he dragged his tired limbs up the steep trail.

At the barn door Connie dismounted stiffly, removed the horse's bridle, then threw her arms passionately around his neck and stroked his symmetrical head with soft caresses. "I'm so sorry, Peggy darling," she said in a choking voice.

The horse nipped her shoulder in a weak attempt at playfulness, as if to signify that he quite understood.

Connie's eyes brightened at a sudden thought. "Peggy, dear," she whispered softly as she nestled her cheek against his soft mane "do you know that I can have some nice clothes now? Lots and lots of nice things. I am going to buy you a blanket—a nice thick one for winter—and some ribbons for your mane. And you, Peggy—with a flood of

tenderness in her voice—"you won't all this for me."

She was crooning sweet nothings in his ear that only Pegasus could understand when her father appeared, breathless from running, his face grey and anxious.

"Are you all right, Constance darling?"

Connie stepped forward. She was pale and weak, but her colourless lips tried to form a smile. "Yes, Daddy dear—I'm all right." Her voice trailed to a whisper and the blue eyes closed as darkness fell upon her like a cloud. Swaying uncertainly for an instant, she fell like a broken flower into her father's outstretched arms. For the first time in her life Connie had fainted. She lay like a child in his trembling arms, her upturned face wearing the pallor of death.

With a prayer on his lips and an agony of fear in his heart, her father carried her to the cabin and tenderly stretched the bruised little body on the coarse blankets of her bunk.

CHAPTER XVIII.

At the race-course the crowd eddied excitedly about the judges' stand, or stood in groups talking of the wonderful performance of the spotted cayuse that had made the erstwhile champion appear a mere tyro.

Gillis came riding slowly from the woods and was hailed by questioning shouts from a score of throats.

"Did you get him?"

A bloody handkerchief was wrapped around the big man's head, and a livid welt showed on his forehead. He smiled grimly as he dismounted, "I got the d—d skunk," he answered savagely.

He turned to a group of Indians: "You fellows'd better look out for him when you go along; his eyesight's kinda bad."

Donald came to the front of the judges' stand and held up his hand for silence. Gradually the hum of voices died away and the crowd turned to face him.

"As you know we are to take up a collection to add to the Company's purse. The gentleman below," pointing down at Andy, "will hold the hat. We have witnessed an exhibition of matchless skill and pluck. Give us your feel."

The crowd cheered lustily. Then, jostling each other good-naturedly like a lot of schoolboys, they formed in a long queue.

Andy started the contribution by giving his whole roll of bills. Money showered upon him until he was forced to call for another hat.

"Fightin'!" Jack came to Donald in great perturbation. "Say! Our gang's all stony broke. Can we sign a due-bill?"

Donald called the time-keeper. "Make her out for twenty bucks for each of us," said "Fightin'" Jack. Andy's spirits soared as the pile rose higher.

"God bless 'er little 'eart," he murmured, "she can 'ave an 'ole ship-load of them blinkin' camisole things."

An hour later, as Donald climbed the hill to deliver the prize, he met Doctor Paul.

"How is she, Doctor?"

"She's had a nasty shaking up, but there are no bones broken. She will have to remain in bed for a week or so."

Wainwright saw Donald coming and stepped outside the door to meet him. "She's sleeping," he said in a low tone. He looked questioningly at Donald as the latter passed him the package of money.

"The prize money," Donald explained.

Wainwright peeped at the contents and his face lit up with pleased astonishment. "I understood that the purse was to be a small one!"

When Donald told him of the collection Wainwright's face flushed hotly. "Is that the custom?" he questioned sharply.

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Donald nodded.

Wainwright paced nervously with hands clasped behind his back. "Pardon my abrupt manner," he said confidently, "I am a bit out of sorts today."

Every evening Donald called at the Wainwright home, bringing little delicacies carefully prepared by Andy. Once he spoke to Connie from outside the door, and her answering voice gave him an odd thrill. He pondered over this as he made his way down the hill. He was struck by a sudden thought. His face broke into a smile and he shrugged his shoulders. "Nonsense," he said aloud.

Janet remained several days after her friends had returned to the city. She tried in vain to restore the familiar relations which formerly existed between herself and Donald. His evening visits to the cabin on the mountain deprived her of his company, and she, half-jestingly, reproved him for his inattention to her. With spirits depressed and a despondent look in her dark eyes, Janet returned to Vancouver.

One evening Wainwright gave Donald a letter to post, addressed to a big departmental store in Vancouver. A few days later there arrived numerous bundles and boxes, including a big trunk. Donald with the assistance of Gillis's crew carried them up the hill.

"I've brought your big trunk with the 'bulgy top,' Miss Wainwright," he called.

Connie sat up in her bunk so quickly that her head bumped the boards above. "Miss Wainwright!" he had called her! Her eyes glowed in the dusky half-light. "Thank you so much," she replied.

The next day Wainwright informed Donald that Connie was up and would see him.

"Just a minute, Dad," she cried as she heard them approaching.

Feverishly she rushed to the small mirror to glance at her reflection. With nervous hands she fluffed the hair about her ears and smoothed imaginary wrinkles from the collar of her dress. Then she sat down gravely and arranged her skirts about her.

(To Be Continued.)

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Beacon Test a Success

Signals Received On Canada's First Automatic Radio Beacon

Canada's first automatic radio beacon recently tested proved to be an unqualified success. The tests were made between the "Duchess of York" en route to Liverpool and Alex. Johnson, deputy minister of Marine and Fisheries at Ottawa, who is a passenger on the "Duchess of York," and Seal Island, N.S., signals were received on the directional wireless set up to 70 miles.

The beacon, which works automatically, sends signals for the first six minutes of every hour in clear weather and operates continuously in fog. Mr. Johnson and Commander Edwards, who is also a passenger on the ship, expressed themselves as highly gratified with the results obtained.

The Seal Island station is the first of 17 stations on which the beacon is installed. Other stations on the Atlantic, Pacific and the Great Lakes will be established along similar lines.

Unlucky For Motorists

Birmingham motorists should guard against auto thieves every night, but especially on Friday nights, the police department at Birmingham, Alabama, cautions. Records show more than twice as many autos are stolen on Friday night than any other during the week. Officials believe the cars are used to run liquor on Saturday. They are usually found abandoned on Monday.

Briquetting Plant In Operation

The plant at Estevan of the Western Dominion Collieries Limited, is now in operation for the manufacture of briquettes from lignite coal. The plant at the present time is capable of a production of 100 tons per day and this can be increased at small additional outlay to 200 tons.

A magazine writer says a dog finds an empty place in man's life. This is especially true of the hot dog.

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Says Heroic Nurse Not Killed As Spy

Defender Of Edith Cavell Declares Germans Made No Charge Of Spying

Maitre de Leval, who defended Nurse Cavell, recently related at the Author's Club, in London, the story of her trial, sentence, and death. He said he had heard some people, even in England, say that she was rightly killed because she was a spy. She was not. Even the Germans never said that she was. In all the statements made in the indictment against her there was in each case only one charge, "Procuring soldiers to the enemy." All that she wanted to do was to save soldiers from death, and she declared before the Court: "I acknowledge that through my intervention 200 men have been led up to the frontier." Nurse Cavell died on October 12, not as some people had said, by collapsing at the execution post and being shot by a German officer. She died courageously, as heroically as a soldier.

One of the most beautiful peaks in the Canadian Rockies, a mountain robed in snow and ice, is named in honor of Nurse Cavell. Mount Edith Cavell, which stands in Jasper National Park, is more than 11,000 feet in height. Every summer, the guests at Jasper Park Lodge go up to the Glacier of the Angel, and take part in a service in memory of the woman who died so nobly.

Cutting Corns With Razor Leads To Lock-Jaw

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Where Children Work Under Cruel Conditions

Treated Like Slaves In Ceylon Says Newspaper Article

The Ceylon Daily News publishes an extraordinary article containing alleged "revelations" of widespread exploitation of native child labor throughout the island under conditions said to amount to virtual slavery.

Many thousands of impoverished Ceylonese, the article says, are persuaded to lend, and in some cases to sell, young sons and daughters to foreigners for domestic heavy work usually performed by adult household servants or farm hands. Instances are cited of boys and girls forced to work from dawn until dark with no intervals for food and under other conditions of extreme cruelty and neglect, in some cases, whipping for trivial disobedience ending fatally.

A few guilty task masters and mistresses have been punished, the paper says, but a large number of cases of torture remain undetected. The lack of a Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, it is pointed out, is Ceylon's crying need, the article urging the immediate establishment of a branch of the society to combat "the prevalence" of a great social crime.

Minard's Liniment prevents Flu.

Long Air Trip Planned

One of the longest air lines in the world is being contemplated between London and Cape Town. The route, more than 8,000 miles long, will branch off at Cairo, crossing over into India.

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Explore Uninhabited Territory In Canada

New York Man Accompanied By Son Make Long Trek

W. A. North of the Explorer's Club, New York, and his fourteen-year-old son, Robert Carver, reached Winnipeg recently from The Pas after a trek across hundreds of miles of uninhabited hinterland territory.

Accompanied by Indian guides and mushers with their dog teams, they have been in the North for several months. They left Hudson, Ont., Christmas Day and came out again at York Factory March 1, the first known persons to make the 800-mile trip. From there they traversed the Nelson River to Hudson Bay, coming out to the railway at Amery, north of The Pas.

Many tribes of Indians were visited, including an encampment which had been visited only once before by a white man. The tribe was found living in a most primitive state. On the Manitoba-Ontario border they found a vast uninhabited plain to the east of Hland Lake.

KEEP YOUR BABY HAPPY AND WELL

Every mother wishes her child or children to be well and happy; to be bright-eyed, rosy-cheeked boys and girls. No mother, though, can expect her children to escape all the ills of babyhood and childhood, but she can do much to help them fight the battle for health.

All prudent mothers constantly keep at hand the means of aiding their little ones when sickness comes suddenly—as it generally does in the case of children. In every home where there are infants and young children Baby's Own Tablets should be found. Read what Mrs. Mary Hill, Centre Dummer, Ont., says concerning these Tablets:—"I am the mother of six children and would not be without Baby's Own Tablets. They are a wonderful medicine for little ones."

Baby's Own Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which regulate the bowels and sweeten the stomach and thus break up colds and simple fever, banish constipation and indigestion and allay the irritation accompanying the cutting of teeth. They are absolutely safe and are pleasant to take. The Tablets are sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

GELATIN CAKE PUDDING

1 package cherry or raspberry flavored gelatin.
1 cup boiling water.
1 cup cold water or fruit juice
2 cups plain cake, diced.
(stale cake may be used)
Dissolve the gelatin in boiling water. Add cold water or fruit juice. Chill. When slightly thickened, fold in cake. Pile in sherbet glasses. Serve plain, with custard sauce, or with whipped cream. Serves 6.

RAINY DAY GOODY

Cook salad macaroni in boiling water 15 minutes, drain, rinse, add one minced onion, season and pack in ring form around large platter. Heat one can salmon, pour into center of macaroni ring. Place thereon one slice bacon. Add flour to grease in pan, make thick gravy with water or milk and pour over top.

Helium Gas

British Air Ministry May Secure Supplies From Alberta
A cable from London indicates that helium gas for use in airships may be obtained in Canada by the British Air Ministry. Large quantities of helium gas can be produced from the gas wells of the Bow River and South Saskatchewan Valley to the south and west of Medicine Hat. Production of helium in commercial quantities was first accomplished in Canada during the war.

Australian Wine Firm

An old-established wine firm of Australia has incorporated under the British Columbia provincial statutes and proposes importing Australian wines in large quantities.

Out of every twelve dolls manufactured, it is said, only one is a boy. Which probably explains why the girls become partial to boys after they pass the doll stage.

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Little Helps For This Week

"Which hope we have as an anchor of the soul, both sure and steadfast."—Hebrews vi. 19.

God liveth ever! Wherefore, Soul, despair thou never! What though thou tread with bleeding feet

A thorny path of grief and gloom, Thy God will choose the way most meet,

To lead thee heavenwards, lead thee home,

For this life's long night of sadness He will give thee peace and gladness;

Soul, remember in thy pains, God o'er all for ever reigns.

Who can really think and not think hopefully? You were in my mind last night, and you brought a little boat to sail me past despondency of life and fear of extinction. When we despair and discolor things, it is our senses in revolt, and they have made the sovereign brain their drudge. I heard you whisper, "There is nothing the body suffers that the soul may not profit by." With that I sail into the dark; it is my promise of the immortal,—teaches me to see immortality for us.

—George Meredith.

Musk rats Shipped To England

Ten Pair Of Live Muskrats Shipped From Edmonton

Ten pair of live muskrats were shipped from Edmonton recently to England. This shipment, the first of its kind to be made from Western Canada, will form the nucleus of breeding stock for a large English fur-raising concern. The shipper, A. C. McFadyen, states that it is this trial proves successful, several thousand more rats will be shipped within the next few months. This shipper has also received orders for live rats from Czechoslovakia.

A Useful Inventor

Usually motorists never know when the tail light is out until they are told about it—and then it often is too late. An inventor now has rushed into the breach with an electrical device that makes a noise like static in a radio set whenever the tail light fails. If inventors keep on, motordom is not going to have a single need that isn't filled.

Commissioner For Panama

A Canadian trade commissioner's office has been opened in Panama, and a trade commissioner will shortly be appointed it is officially announced. At present most of the Central American Republics come under the commissioner's office in Mexico, while Venezuela and Colombia come under Cuba.

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Magistrate: Are you sure you understand the nature of an oath? Youth (scared stiff): Sure. Ain't I your caddy down at the links.

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Rt. Hon. Senator Geo. P. Graham To Officiate At Important Event

The last spike on the Hudson Bay Railway will be driven this summer with due ceremony by Rt. Hon. Senator George P. Graham, who turned the first sod on the railway in 1910. This interesting event will not mark the completion of the railway, but only that the 510 miles of steel are linked up from The Pas to Churchill, the tidal terminus of the road. After the last spike has been driven most of the trackage will have to be ballasted and made ready for operation. It is expected the railway will be completed in 1930. It is being built by the Canadian Government to provide a much shorter route from the farms of Western Canada to Europe.

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ABBOTSFORD

Born.—To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bird, on May 13, in the M.S.A. Hospital, a daughter.

Mrs. Davis opened the Maple Leaf Lodge for business last week, succeeding Mrs. J. Downie, who is leaving for England next month.

Patients receiving treatment in the M.S.A. Hospital: Mr. Fred Stevens, Mr. Carl Oberg, Miss Betty Stobbs.

Officers of Canadian Daughters' organization attended joint installation at the Vancouver lodge last Friday, Miss Ella Fraser being installed as president of the local Assembly.

Invitations have been received by May Queen Lillian and her attendants to participate in the Burnaby May Day celebration on May 18. Agassiz's May Queen may take part in the celebration here.

Mrs. F. W. Johnson is mourning the death of her father, Robert Henry Cairns, who passed away in Vancouver last Friday morning. The late Mr. Cairns was inspector of Indian schools for British Columbia, and former principal of Chilliwack public school, Coquitlam Institute, and vice-principal of Strathcona school, Vancouver. He was last superintendent of Indian schools in Canada, and had resided in this province for 38 years.

Mr. Ruthig and family have returned from Crescent Beach to reside here.

A very enjoyable Ladies' Aid birthday social was held in Trinity church last evening, with Rev. T. S. Paton in the chair. On behalf of the Ladies' Aid, Mrs. H. J. Fraser presented C. Ryall with a bouquet of flowers, marking her birthday. Those taking part in the program were Mr. Farrow, organ solo; Miss V. Bedlow, vocal; Dorothy Duane, recitation; Miss Stuart, solo; Mr. Hanon, organ solo; Miss F. Hunt, vocal; Hester Heller, vocal. Contests were won by Mrs. Kitchen, Mrs. Bedlow, Rev. Mr. Paton, Mr. W. Gray. The sum of \$22.50 was realized.

"Big business" and the general effect of chain store entry in this district were thoroughly debated at the Men's Club last Monday, practically every member present engaging in the discussion. Arguments against the benefits of lower prices on staple foodstuffs and the benefits to other commercial lines operating in towns like Abbotsford by attraction of more people to the place were that profits on the considerable sale volume left the country, and no property investments were made in the district. Some reference was made to the Independent Grocers' Alliance, which claims to be definitely checking chains stores in the States by standardizing the old fashioned corner groceries, cutting buying and operating costs at least one-third and eliminating credit. It was felt by the club men that some system of group operation would evolve among individual grocers, enabling them to effectively meet chain store competition.

Guests this week at the Atangard included Mr. and Mrs. R. Hebert, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. Terily and Mr. and Mrs. Veach, Kent, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. L. McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. Wade, Mr. and Mrs. Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. E. Costain, Mr. and Mrs. Morrissey, E. R. Cole, R. J. Berry, H. B. Owen, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Paxton, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Shagle, Eugene, Ore.; A. E. Dilger, Winnipeg, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Thompson, Ashcroft. From Vancouver: R. S. Cappell, G. M. Hayser, W. E. Elkins, Mrs. A. G. McLean, F. J. Shirley, G. W. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Murry, B. O. Notzed, Miss Egan, A. H. Clegg, I. Paterson, L. A. LaPierre.

CLAYBURN

Mr. J. Lomas has sold his farm to Mr. Stevens, late of Lombard, who will engage in fur farming. Mr. and Mrs. Lomas have left on a trip to Calgary.

The observance of Mother's Day attracted a large congregation to the United church on Sunday morning, when an impressive sermon was preached by Rev. J. H. White. Under direction of Miss Beharrell, the Ridgevale choir rendered pleasing music.

Miss Shirley Seldon visited her parents here last week.

Date and place of the annual Sunday School picnic will be decided at a meeting of officers and teachers to be held at Mr. Cooper's on Wednesday.

Mr. Fred Wilkinson visited his parents over the week-end.

Mrs. K. Gillies and Miss C. Gillies motored to Mount Baker on Sunday.

Editor News: Speaking in Chicago last week, J. F. Grimes, president of the Independent Grocers' Alliance, said "The public do not realize the scope of this gigantic struggle between the traditional independent retailer, who owns his store, is a fixed resident of the community, participates in its affairs, supports its institutions and charities, and the absentee chain store owner, interested only in the profits he can take out of a neighborhood." "We are now serving

Trade Boards To Meet At Hope In June

The quarterly meeting of the Associated Boards of Trade of the Fraser Valley will be held in Hope on June 22, after which a special train will convey delegates to Jessica to inspect the Emancipation, Aurum and Trifles properties. At the meeting of the executive council of the Associated Boards, held in Abbotsford last Wednesday, it was decided to invite all Fraser Valley Reeves to attend the Hope meeting.

40,000 stores in the United States and our business is spreading rapidly. The most significant fact is that our movement is spreading to other lines and during the next 60 days great meetings of drygoods and hardware retailers and wholesalers will be here to form the Independent Drygoods Alliance and Independent Hardware Alliance. We are fighting the movement to change communities of proprietors into those of hired employees of absentee owners, because it is unnecessary and un-American.

Construction of Huntingdon school is proceeding satisfactorily, the framework, walls and roof being finished, and plasterers preparing to start. J. McDonald has the job, the contract price being \$4,894. It will be opened after the holidays.

John Fraser of Huntingdon has been selected to serve as a grand juror at the New Westminster Spring Assizes which open next Monday.

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Rosedale-Agassiz ferry has been taken to New Westminster for an annual overhaul, and for the ten days the boat will be out of service a launch will carry passengers.

Died.—Mrs. C. G. Carlson, 28, of Bradner, on May 9 in the Royal Columbian hospital, New Westminster. Mrs. Carlson was a native of Sweden. She had been ill for several months.

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Services on Sunday Next—
10 a.m.—Sunday School and Teen-Age Classes.
11 a.m.—Subject: "Pivot Battles in Life."
3 p.m.—Service in St. Paul's church.

Huntingdon.
7:30 p.m.—Subject "To-morrows that Never Come."

Capt. R. A. Payne of Langley has been re-appointed zone representative of the area extending from Chilliwack to White Rock and Ladner.

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BANQUET AND PRESENTATIONS FEATURE FIRST FUNCTION OF CONROY STUDENT BODY

Teachers and students of Conroy high school, assisted by the Parent-Teacher Association, gave a successful banquet in the school on Thursday last. The program was appropriate and enjoyable in every way. Dr. J. H. Wood presiding as toastmaster. Grace was lead by Rev. Mr. Sundstrum, and the following toasts charged—

Graduation class, by Mr. G. Kempf, replied to by Miss F. Igeland.

The Municipality, by Mr. T. Lancaster, replied to by Dr. Wood.

The School Board by Miss E. Goodchild, replied by Trustee Merryfield.

The School Staff, by Miss A. Olund, replied by Trustee L. Smith.

The British Empire, by Mr. E. Kerr, replied by Mr. G. Timothy.

Sports, by Mr. Topper, reply by Mr. Robinson.

Football team, by Miss R. Malles, reply by Mr. S. Sorenson.

The P.T.A., by Miss Casselman, reply by Mr. Brown.

The Ladies, by Mr. G. Kerr, reply by Rev. Mr. White.

Musical numbers were rendered by Miss Stella Hurum, Miss E. and G. McNaull, Miss Joyce Mundy, and the High School orchestra personnel of which was Miss Nora Paterson (pianiste), Miss Maxine Morris (violiniste), Mr. G. Paterson (violinist), Mr. H. C. Smith (violinist), Mr. G. Kempf (cornet), Mr. M. Berner (banjo-uke), Mr. Earle Kerr (drummer).

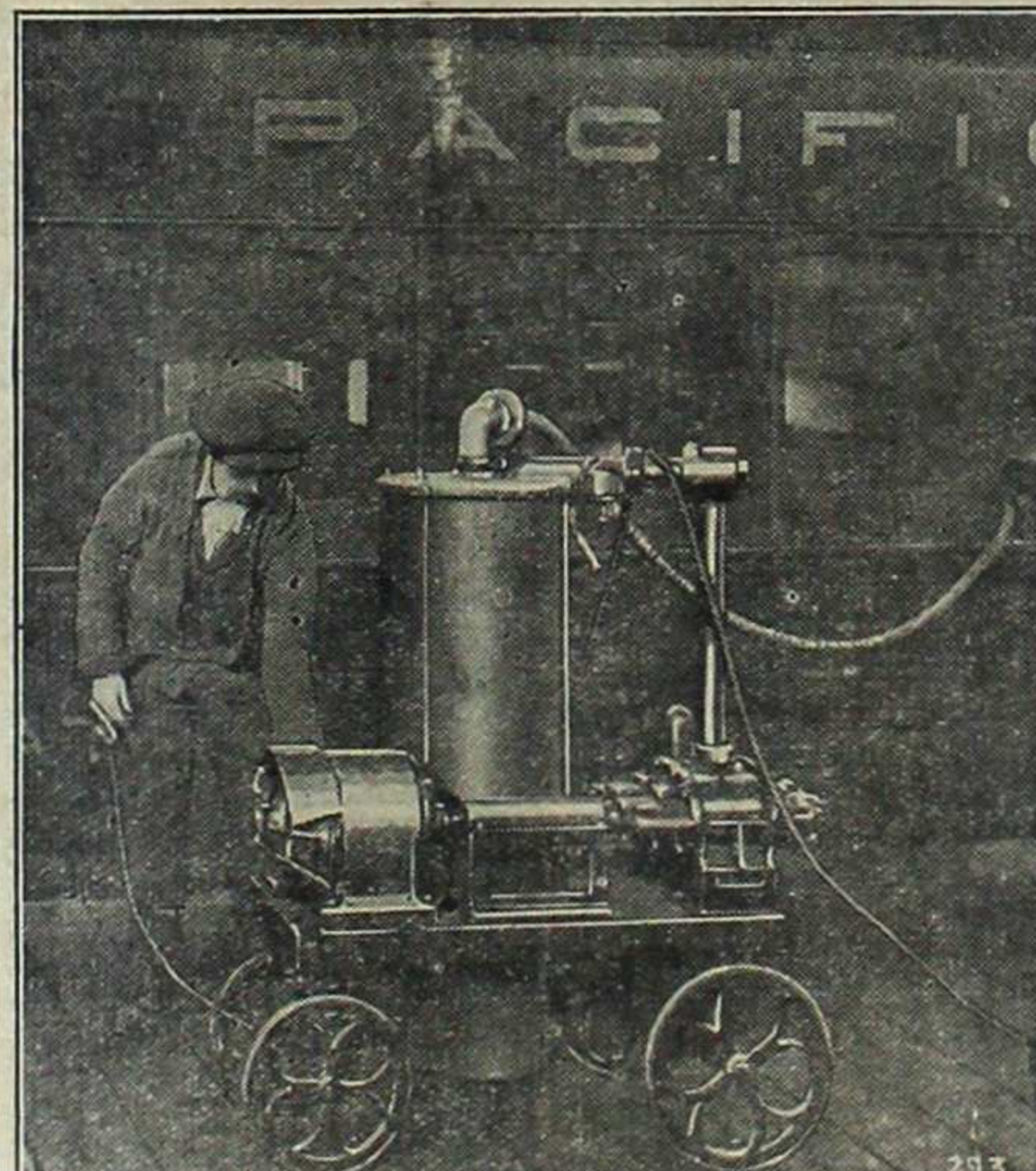
Presentation of the Elhin cup to the Matsqui football team was made by Dr. O. R. Hougren, and the medal was distributed by Mr. W. A. Paterson, and Mr. G. Kempf was made a presentation by Trustee Smith.

Games and dancing rounded out an exceptionally fine program.

Miss E. Goodchild was hostess to Matsqui Bridge Club on Monday afternoon, two tables being played. Those present were Mesdames H. Hurum, G. Kerr, W. Paterson, J. Wood, Misses E. Carlson, M. Casselman, G. Hurum and S. Hurum. Mrs. Kerr won the prize.

The Community Club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Palge on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Olga Anderson of New Westminster visited her home here on Sunday.



Spring Cleaning All Year

One of the fleet of vacuum trucks used by the Canadian Pacific Railway to help maintain the standard of cleanliness demanded for all its services. After each run, every square inch of carpet and upholstery is thoroughly cleaned, all movable portions, such as seats being taken out and treated by air. An army of cleaners are maintained at all terminals.

MATSQUI

Ladies of the M.S.A. Hospital Auxiliary gave an afternoon tea in the Lutheran church parlors on Saturday, when over \$20 was realized. Visitors from Abbotsford, Mission and other neighboring parts were present.

Speakers were Mrs. Downie and Mrs. Wilson of Abbotsford and solos were rendered by Mrs. W. Baynes, Mrs. W. Paterson and Mrs. F. Hansen. Mrs. F. Ash and Mrs. W. Adams rendered a duet. On behalf of Matsqui women,

Mrs. Gurney presented the Auxiliary with a beautiful pedestal lamp, to be installed in the nurses' quarters.

Mr. Lloyd Jensen of Bellingham visited at his home here on Mother's Day. Mr. E. Jensen returned with him to visit Mr. and Mrs. F. Alfredson in Bellingham.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Hensen and family, Mrs. G. Crist and Mr. A. Thompson, visited Mrs. P. Hendrickson in New Westminster on Sunday.

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Alfredson of Bellingham visited Mrs. T. B. Jensen last week.

Results of the U.B.C. examinations published last week showed that Harold and Cyril Smith, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Len Smith successfully passed, the former a first-year arts student, and Cyril second year science.

Miss Grace Olund is another Matsqui student who was successful.

MANUEL POULTRY PLANT DESTROYED BY FIRE

Fire caused damage amounting to \$11,000 at the poultry ranch of Caleb Manuel, Bradner, last week. Besides the damage to buildings, four cows, a horse, 50 Chinchilla rabbits, and 12,000 chicks were burnt. Efforts were made by neighbors, Mr. Manuel and his sons to save some of the property and stock but the fire spread so rapidly, and took such a hold on the frame structures, that very little could be done. Origin of the fire is not known. About \$5,000 insurance was carried.

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Wanted to Rent.—Small poultry ranch with accommodation for 300 birds. P.O. Box 228, Abbotsford. 1p

For Sale.—200 White Leghorn Poultry, 9 weeks old \$1 each. A. Newman, R.R. 1, Abbotsford, phone 92M.